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Docket No: 1191/1F734

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Peter RAMM; Robert NADON; Peide SHI

Serial No: TO BE ASSIGNED

*(Continuation of International Application  
No. PCT/IB00/00810 filed June 19, 2000)*

Filed: CONCURRENTLY

For: PROCESS FOR REMOVING SYSTEMATIC ERROR AND OUTLIER  
DATA AND FOR ESTIMATING RANDOM ERROR IN CHEMICAL AND  
BIOLOGICAL ASSAYS

PCT CONTINUING APPLICATION

Box PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is a continuation application under 35 U.S.C. 111 of the above-identified international application designating the U.S. The following are enclosed:

1. A copy of the international application as originally filed, including any amendments entered during the international stage.

2. ☒ [Unsigned] Declaration, petition and power of attorney

3. ☒ Drawings, 2 sheets (Figs. 2 )

4. ☐ Assignment for recording to:

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☐ Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.215(b), please print the following assignment information on the face of the published application:

Assignee: Imaging Research, Inc.

5. ☐ Payment in amount of \$, (\$ filing; \$ recording)  
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6. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.

7. ☐ Cancel claims .

8. ☒ Amend the specification as follows. On page 1, after the title add the following paragraph:

This is a continuation of international application Serial No.  
PCT/IB00/00810, filed June 19, 2000, the entire disclosure of  
which is hereby incorporated by reference.

9. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is also enclosed.

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10. [X] Priority is claimed for this application, corresponding application/s having been filed as follows:

Country: US  
Number: 60/139,639  
Date: 17 June 1999

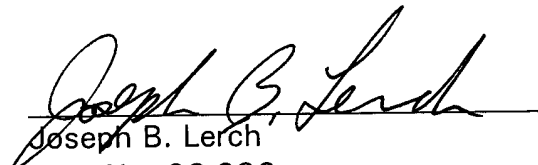
The priority documents [] are enclosed  
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Country: US  
Number: 60/155,173  
Date: 21 September 1999

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[X] will follow.

Date: November 8, 2001

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